

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-10 and replace them with the following claims 11-23:

Claims 1-10 (canceled)

11. (new) A method of recovering a liquid medium which comprises compulsorily contacting the liquid medium with a gas to vaporize the liquid medium, and condensing the vaporized medium.

12. (new) The recovering method according to Claim 11, wherein a gas separated from the medium by condensation is used as the gas to be compulsorily contacted with the liquid medium.

13. (new) The recovering method according to Claim 11 or 12, wherein vaporization is carried out at a temperature of the boiling point or lower of the liquid medium when the liquid medium is vaporized.

14. (new) A recovering system of a liquid medium which comprises a vaporizing portion in which a gas is compulsorily contacted with the liquid medium to vaporize the medium, and a condensing portion in which the vaporized medium at the vaporized portion is condensed.

15. (new) A recovering system of a liquid medium which comprises a vaporizing portion in which a gas is compulsorily contacted with the liquid medium to vaporize the liquid medium, a condensing portion in which the vaporized medium at the vaporizing portion is condensed and a separated gas feeding portion in which a separated gas separated by condensation at the condensing portion is fed to the vaporizing portion as a gas to compulsorily contact with the liquid medium.

16. (new) A recovering system of a liquid medium which comprises:

a vaporizing means for vaporizing a liquid medium by contacting a gas to a mixed liquid containing a liquid medium and a non-volatile substance(s),

a condensing and separating means for separating the condensed medium and a separated gas by cooling the gas and the

vaporized medium fed from the above-mentioned vaporizing means, and

a gas feeding means for feeding the separated gas to the vaporizing means as the gas.

17. (new) The liquid medium recovering system according to Claim 16, wherein the condensing and separating means comprises a first condensing means for condensing the vaporized medium by cooling, and a second condensing means for condensing the vaporized medium passed through the first condensing means by further cooling.

18. (new) The liquid medium recovering system according to Claim 16, which further comprises a temperature-maintaining and heating means of the vaporizing means.

19. (new) The liquid medium recovering system according to Claim 16 or 17, which further comprises a supplying means for feeding the vaporized medium generated by the vaporizing means to the vaporizing means as the gas.

20. (new) The liquid medium recovering system according to Claim 18, which further comprises a supplying means for feeding

the vaporized medium generated by the vaporizing means to the vaporizing means as the gas.

21. (new) The liquid medium recovering system according to Claims 16 or 17, wherein the vaporizing means is to vaporize the medium by blowing the gas to the liquid medium and to simultaneously concentrate the mixed liquid containing the liquid medium.

22. The liquid medium recovering system according to Claim 18, wherein the vaporizing means is to vaporize the medium by blowing the gas to the liquid medium and to simultaneously concentrate the mixed liquid containing the liquid medium.

23. The liquid medium recovering system according to Claim 19, wherein the vaporizing means is to vaporize the medium by blowing the gas to the liquid medium and to simultaneously concentrate the mixed liquid containing the liquid medium.